

UNION SECRETARY SENT TO SING SING FOR FUND THEFT

Given 1 1/2 to Three Years
at Hard Labor, in Shortage
of \$26,000.

An echo of the Lockwood committee's investigation was awakened today when William A. Hogan of Mount Vernon, Secretary of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, Local No. 2, was sentenced by Supreme Court Justice Giegerich to Sing Sing at hard labor for from one and a half to three years for grand larceny in the first degree.

The jury which convicted Hogan on June 30 recommended mercy, and his attorneys to-day reiterated the plea, saying that he was and still is trusted by his associates and that there was no proof that he had spent the funds of the organization in riotous living. They declared that the fault was not with him but with the organization, adding that not one of the labor organizations was conducted in a business manner. Hogan was pictured as a sacrifice for the condemnation of the system.

Hogan was charged with stealing \$26,000 between August, 1917, and the same month of 1921. Special Deputy

Shell Shocked Overseas Vet Crazed by Cannon at Peekskill

Goes Mad in the Ranks in Review When Guns
Fire Salute.

Benjamin Kress private in a State regiment, was reported greatly improved to-day in the hospital at Peekskill. He had to be overpowered and carried from the field when National Guard troops were going through manoeuvres Saturday, because he suddenly became crazed as the cannon roared a salute and imagined himself again fighting the Germans. He was shell shocked overseas and the horrors of the trenches returned to him.

Kress, a member of Company G, 166th Infantry, was marching in a formal review by Dr. L. Y. Grouitch, Imperial Minister of the Serbs, Croats and Slovenes, when the cannon boomed the Ambassador's salute. Then Kress broke ranks with loud outcries. It required half a dozen soldiers to overpower him and carry him to the hospital.

Kress was cited for gallantry in the World War. It was learned, Gen. J. Louis Kinkaid, commanding the troops in camp, said efforts will be made to obtain official recognition of Kress's overseas service.

Attorney Kressel declared that about \$40,000 had been stolen by the defendant. It was alleged that he collected from \$1 to \$2.50 per week from non-union workers for the privilege of working on union jobs, whereas the dues of union men were \$1 per month for helpers and \$2 for journeymen.

FOUR DROWN IN COLLISION.
SEATTLE, Wash., July 17.—Four sailors were drowned yesterday when the steam schooner Henry T. Scott and the freighter Harry Luckenbach collided in the Strait of Juan de Fuca in a fog. The Scott was sunk.

ACCUSES POLICE OF STEALING 464 BOTTLES OF BOOZE

Offered Him Only 190 of 654
Unlawfully Seized,
He Says.

M. H. Elvidge, President of the Atco Asphalt Roofing Company, with offices in the Grand Central Terminal Building, and who lives at No. 782 West End Avenue, to-day asked District Attorney Banton to begin a Grand Jury investigation into the alleged theft of 464 bottles of wine and liquor from his apartment.

On June 29, Mr. Elvidge said, his apartment was raided without any warrant of law by detectives attached to Police Inspector Boland's staff with headquarters at the West 100th Street Station, his wife arrested and 654 bottles of wines and whiskeys taken. Magistrate Renaud, he continued, exonerated Mrs. Elvidge and ordered the police to return the booze.

With his attorney, Frederick J. Sullivan of Phillips, Mahoney and Leibel, No. 51 Chambers Street, he went to the station and on his demand for the liquor was offered 190 bottles which he was told was all that had been taken from his apartment. He refused it and went to Police Head-

quarters, where, he says, he could not get any redress. Then he went to Mayor Hylan who said that he would have Commissioner David Hirschfeld begin an investigation into the affair to-morrow.

District Attorney Banton told Mr. Elvidge that he would co-operate with Commissioner Hirschfeld and that if he found the evidence warranted it, would present the matter to the Grand Jury.

FIREMEN HAVE 3 DAYS TO RAISE \$25,000 MORE

The New York firemen have three days left in which to obtain the desired goal of \$100,000 for the Firemen's Honor Emergency Fund. Thus far they have collected \$75,000 through the sale of baseball tickets for the series of three games to be played on July 20, 21 and 22 at Ebbets Field between the teams of the New York and the Chicago Fire Departments. The Chicago team will arrive here on Wednesday.

FOUR WEDDING GUESTS MADE ILL BY PASTRY

Ate Cream Puffs and Suffered From Ptomaine Poisoning.
Anthony Tatalanatto, twenty-five, of No. 310 Jefferson Street, and Anna Piazza, twenty-six, Alfonso and Florence Guida, children, No. 4011 Twelfth Avenue, all of Brooklyn, were treated this morning at the last named address for ptomaine poisoning by Dr. Toomey of St. Catherine's Hospital. At a wedding in Williamsburg last night they ate cream puffs.

Florence awoke about 8 o'clock with pains in her stomach, and finding the others in a similar state ran into the street and notified Policeman Kinkel, who sent for an ambulance.

All are said to be out of danger.

TRAIN CRASH NEAR SINAI.

BUCHAREST, July 17.—Two persons were killed and twenty-four injured yesterday when an express train bound for Vienna went through a bridge and into the Prahova River, near Sinai.

JAIL, NOT FINES, FOR RIOTERS IN RAILROAD STRIKE

St. Louis Judge Issues
Warning Following
Injunction.

ST. LOUIS, July 17.
Federal Judge Triebel to-day announced he would impose jail and penitentiary sentences, and not fines, on strikers who violate Federal Court injunctions.

The severity of the penalties will be contingent on the seriousness of the offenses, he added.

BODY RECOVERED IN PELHAM BAY.

The body of John Keenan of No. 1234 First Avenue, was recovered from Pelham Bay at noon to-day. He was drowned yesterday afternoon when a boat he was rowing upset.

LABOR UNION OFFICERS HELD IN \$1,000 BAIL

Cement and Plasterers' Representatives Plead Not Guilty.

President Michael J. Collieran, Vice President John Pearl, and thirty-four other executives of the Operative Plasterers and Cement Finishers' Union under indictment for criminal conspiracy, pleaded not guilty before Justice Giegerich in the Criminal Branch of the Supreme Court to-day. They were held for trial in \$1,000 bail each and leave was given to their counsel, Goldstein & Goldstein, to change the pleas and make motions within one week.

GAS TANK OF MOTORCYCLE

CATCHES FIRE.

Samuel Zimmerman of No. 173 Clinton Street was burned about the body when the gas tank of his motorcycle caught fire in front of No. 177 Delancey Street to-day. He was taken to Gouverneur Hospital.

B. Altman & Co.

Special Offerings for Tuesday

An Interesting Sale

In the Art Needlecraft Department will offer exceptional values in

Hand-embroidered Pillow Slips
at 90c. & \$1.25

Couch or Hammock Pillows
(circular model) of cretonne or repp
at \$1.45

and

Women's Stamped Lingerie
made up and ready for embroidering:

Stamped Nightrobes 95c.
Stamped Chemises 85c.

All of these articles are new and fresh, and especially desirable for Summer purposes.
(Fourth Floor)

A New Selection of Women's Silk Umbrellas

(sun-or-rain type; 24-inch size)

every umbrella a remarkable value at

\$3.85

Fine-quality taffeta silk was used for making these umbrellas, practically all the fashionable colors (as well as the ever-desirable black) being well represented in the assortment. The mountings are of the club persuasion, embracing a variety of the smart handles that all women want.

(First Floor)

An Unusual Sale of

Sterling Silver-deposit Ware
at interestingly low prices

will particularly appeal to those in search of dainty, attractive Summer table furnishings for personal or gift use.

The assortment will comprise Vases, Butter Dishes, Lemon and Sandwich Plates, Cheese and Cracker Dishes, Mayonnaise Bowls, Sugar-and-Cream Sets, Water Pitchers and Lemonade or Iced Tea Pitchers; variously priced at

\$2.50 to 7.25 each

All of these pieces are of exceptional quality. The glass is delicately engraved; the sterling silver deposit applied in artistic designs.

(First Floor)

All-linen Handkerchiefs

for Men and Women

will be on sale at these special prices:

Men's All-linen Handkerchiefs

Hemstitched per dozen \$2.65, 4.70, 9.50
Initialed . . . per half-dozen 2.35, 3.00
Tape-bordered . . . per half-dozen 3.95

Women's Sheer Handkerchiefs

All-linen:

Hemstitched per dozen \$1.50, 2.50, 4.00
Initialed . . . per dozen 2.25, 2.65
Embroidered . . . per half-dozen 1.25
With spoked hem or hand-embroidered corner . . . per half-dozen \$1.85

Lawn:

Novelty colored, initialed per dozen \$1.65
All-white, with embroidered corner, per dozen \$1.50

(First Floor)

Madison Avenue-Fifth Avenue, New York

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9 A. M. TO 5 P. M.

Best & Co.
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JULY AND AUGUST

TODAY AND TOMORROW

SPECIAL PRICES in

HOT-WEATHER FASHIONS

WHITE SHOES

Buckskin or canvas oxfords or one-strap pumps, with rubber or leather sole and heel 6.90
White canvas one-strap pumps, gum sole and low heel 5.90



Hand-drawn Crepe de Chine
25.00

One-piece, slip-on frock, with side pleats. Black, white, navy and pastel shades. Women's and Misses' sizes.

Misses' Silk Capes
35.00

Canton Crepe Capes, reproduced from a graceful import with pointed panels and a draped collar. Black, navy, white, tan, gray.



Pastel and Striped Voiles
15.00

Two attractive styles, with white voile or embroidery collars. Cool summery and practical. In Women's sizes only.

Imported Mohair Sweaters
3.95

Rib-stripe, with round neck, for wear with smart Peter Pan Collars. Also a wide-ribbed, V-neck sweater of wool. White and all sports colors.



Crepe de Chine Slips 6.95
Firm crepe de chine, made extra full and with extra length for the new long skirts. White, flesh, black, navy.

Summer Girdles 2.95
Combination of brocade and elastic.

WHITE HOSE

Pure silk Pointex hose, with fine mercerized lisle garter top and soles 1.95. White all-silk hose, with hand-embroidered clocks, black or white 3.35



Velette Sports Frocks
15.00

A smart little sleeveless slip-on, in white with contrasting bindings, or in gray, navy, copenhagen. Misses' sizes.



Women's Capes of Canton
38.00

Adapted from an imported model, with flowing sides and pleated collar. Black, navy, white, gray, lined with crepe de chine.

Wool Jersey Bathing Suits
4.95

A boyish style, for real swimming. Heavy jersey, with white canvas belt; trunks attached. Black or navy. Sizes 36 to 44.



Hand-Made Blouses
3.85

Five styles in dainty striped dimity, hand-tailored and hand-embroidered. Round or Tuxedo collar, some with Irish picot edging.



Sweaters, Blouses, Hose — Main Floor Misses' Apparel, Underwear — 2nd Floor Woman's Apparel, Bathing Suits, Shoes — 3rd Floor